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Pay-Scale of Senior Auditors and Accountants in Indian Accounts and Audit Service

4792. SHRI LALIT ORAUN: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Comptroller and Auditor General of India has recommended to the Government to bring the pay-scale of Senior Auditors and Accountants belong to the Indian Accounts and Audit Service at par with the pay-scale of Assistance of Central Secretariat Service; and

(b) if so, the time by which the Government propose to implement these recommendations?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI SHANTARAM POTDUKHE): (a) and (b). A demand has been raised by the Staff Side in the Departmental Council of Indian Audit and Accounts Department to revise the pay scales of Senior Auditors/Accountants to bring them on par with the scales of Assistants of Central Secretariat Service. The matter is under consideration in the Departmental Council.

Export of Raw Materials and Finished Goods

4793. SHIR BHAGWAN SHANKAR RAWAT: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) the details and value fo export of raw materials and finished goods during the period from June 20, 1991 to November 30, country-wise;

(b) the details of petrol run vehicles exported during the same period and the value thereof; and

(c) the value of the articles exported in foreign exchange at the rates existing before the devaluation of rupee?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) The foreign trade statistics are compiled on monthly and on cumulative basis over the financial year. The provisional commodity-country figures, for the current financial year are available upto September 1991. The details of export of raw materials and finished goods, country-wise, are voluminious and are available in the publication of Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics (DGCI&S), entitled "Foreign Trade Statistics of India (Principal Commodities & Countries, September, 1991) copies of which are available in the Parliament Library.

(b) The details of petrol run vehicles exported during the period April-September 1991 are as under:

	Type of Vehicles	*Quantity (Nos)*	*Value (Rs. crores)*
1.	Passenger cars	10126	79.36
2.	Scooters	2011	2.64
3.	Motor cycles	2435	6.15
4.	Mopeds	2468	1.30

(c) For the petrol run vehicles, the Government do not in general monitor the rates at which each of the exporter conducts the export transactions.

Opening of Branches of Private Banks in Madhya Pradesh

4794. SHRI BARELAL JATAV: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state: